

AT the present rate of increase it won't be long before ours will be the biggest Men's and Boys' Shoe business in town.

\$1.40 to \$3 for Boys'. \$2.40 to \$6 for Men's. All styles, shapes, widths and sizes.

ROBINSON, CHERY & CO., 12th and F Sts. Clothes, Furnishings, Hats, Shoes.

Withhold your verdict until you have made a personal investigation. We have made a long study of the business and should know something about Furniture and housefurnishings.

Mayer & Pettit, Reliable Housefurnishers, 415 Seventh St. N. W.

Ladies' Cutting School Will open September 15; all branches ladies' tailoring and dress cutting taught by tailor system.

GEO. T. KEEN, 1312 F St. N. W.

There's double value in our shoes—the value of quality and the value of reputation. The latter keeps forcing up the quality—our shoes do not fall below our high standard.

CROCKER'S, Cooled by electric fans, 939 Pennsylvania Ave.

Beckwith's new discovery in Electricity—THERMO-OZONE BATTERY. This discovery is of the most vital importance to the sick.

GLAD TO BE RID OF THEM Dissipated Mother Gives Her Little Ones to the Board.

DRAWS PENSION AND DRINKS

Light Docket for His Honor in the Police Court—Profanity, Disorderly Conduct and Vagrancy Cases Filled the Pen and Received Their Dues.

There were sixteen "ladies" and eighteen "gentlemen" in Judge Kimball's audience this morning.

Policeman Yetton, who was looking out for the morals of the old veterans at the Soldiers' Home, picked up two colored women who, he claimed, waited around for the old men on pension day to get their money.

DID NOT KNOW HIM. Louisa Butler and Jennie Gilman were the names of these females, and although the officer claimed to know her, Louisa denied the pleasure of his acquaintance.

Father Mackin Hurt. Rev. Father Mackin, of St. Paul's Catholic Church, corner Fifteenth and Y streets northwest, had a painful accident yesterday while superintending the preparations for the lawn fête on the parking surrounding his residence.

Horace White is Better. Dr. Louis Kolpinski succeeded on yesterday in removing the piece of broken hat pin from the body of young Horace White, of No. 64 Myrtle street northeast.

S. KANN, SONS & CO., 8th and Market Space.

A Few Ends of those Irish Point Lace Curtains belonging to goods selling at from \$5 to \$10, still left at 75c. each. Some of 'em match.

ALL WAITING FOR MR. ROSS

School Board Appointments and Other Business to Bring Up.

Police Boat Again Out of Commission for Repairs—Minor Matters from the District Building.

The Commissioners have begun preparations for the appointment of a board of school trustees, the terms of the present incumbents expiring on 1st May.

The Joe Blackburn is again disabled, and unable to perform official duty. Commodore Sutton is accordingly low spirited and despondent.

The board passed upon three applications to-day, as follows: Transfers allowed—Retail, from Daniel Hennessy to John J. Reilly, No. 935 Second street southwest; wholesale, from Dennis Byrne to E. T. Byrne and H. F. Crawford, No. 12 C street northwest.

PENETRATING OIL FIELDS.

Important Indiana Railroad to Be Built at Once.

Union City, Ind., Sept. 11.—The Chicago and Union City and Cincinnati Railroad Company was organized last evening, and work will be commenced at once building the track from Union City, northwest to Nappanee, Elkhart county, a distance of about 80 miles.

TRUST NOT TRUSTY.

Split Among Glass Manufacturers in Regard to Selling.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—It is now said that as a result of the window-glass manufacturers' meeting at the Auditorium Monday, a proposed trust or selling agency under process of formation may go to pieces.

COUNTY JAIL IS MISSING.

Train Coupled Onto It by Mistake and It Can't Be Found.

COWS SHOCKED TO DEATH.

Wires Charged With Electricity Thrown Into a Field.

SCOTCH WENT WILD.

Thirty Thousand and Cheer Lord Dunraven and the Valkyrie.

DROUTH IN ANACOSTIA

Excise Board Rejects the Mundell Liquor License.

DAMAGE SUIT MAY RESULT

Applicant Declares That It Is the Result of a Real Estate Syndicate's Conspiracy—He Contemplates Proceedings Against the District—Condition of Building Alleged Cause.

By the edict of the excise board recorded to-day Anacostia will continue in the list of temperance towns.

The application of B. F. Mundell, at No. 7 Harrison street, having been rejected by a unanimous vote.

DECLINE TO EXPLAIN.

The members of the board were asked as to the several points raised by Mr. Mundell, especially with regard to the assigned reason for the rejection of his license, but neither would discuss the matter.

CLAIMS HE IS DAMAGED.

"Had I withdrawn my application there would have been no resultant damage for which any one could be held responsible. As the law now stands, I have good grounds. I have been offered \$2,000 for the stand and have received two other offers of \$500 each. That was when I believed I would get a license.

LIGHTNING'S HUMAN TARGET.

A Pennsylvania Woman Who Has Been Shocked 31 Times in 10 Years.

Sharon, Pa., Sept. 11.—Physicians are puzzled over the strange case of Mrs. Archibald Rankin, an elderly woman, residing two miles east of Sharon.

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C. A. Hamilton, the Washington correspondent of the Rochester Post-Express, who was one of the Washington newspaper men who visited the South in the early part of the month, tells an interesting but somewhat improbable story which he heard while "riding through the streets of Knoxville.

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Tables \$1.75 This Solid Oak or mahogany finish Table, highly polished 20x30 in. top, with lower shelf, cannot be duplicated for less than \$2.75.

The Rink, New York Avenue, (Between 13th and 14th streets) Agency for the Celebrated Columbia Filter.

Looked Into Our "Removal Prices" Yet? Nothing but the necessity of selling all the stock we've got here—and doing it quickly, too—could ever make such deep cuts possible. Everything reduced.

House & Herrmann, 917, 919, 921, 923 7th St. 636 Mass. Ave.

FINE BUTTERINE. WILKINS & COMPANY, Square Marble and Glass Stands, Center Market.

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-PREMIUMS- The articles named below will be given on the new Premium Cards now being given out: HUNDRED PIECE DECORATED DINNER SETS FREE. Eight-day Cathedral Clocks, large Banquet Lamps, Fine Home Sofas, 56-piece Tea Sets, Easy Rocking Chairs, Large Attractive Albums. Many other splendid premiums beside those we have just named. Groceries Reduced! Best Mixed Cakes, 8c lb.; Ginger Snaps, 4c lb.; Cream Crackers, 4c lb.; Nicnacs, 6c lb.; Soda Crackers, 4c lb.; Vanilla Wafers, 8c lb.; Butter Scotch, 8c lb. ASK FOR PREMIUM CARD. Best Granulated Sugar 4 1/2 JOHNSONS, 729 7th St.

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Reached now by Washington & Alexandria R. R. at Waterloo Station in 15 minutes from Sixth Street Depot. 30 daily trains—15 each way. In 90 days will be reached by cars of Mount Vernon Electric R. R. at all hours, in 15 minutes from U. S. Treasury, at street-car fare.

Property expensively improved with perfectly graded avenues and durable board walk. High and healthful location. Beautiful trees of natural growth and plenty of purest and sweetest water. Has a \$5,000 schoolhouse. All nuisances restricted. Far removed and secluded from every objectionable feature. Here are lovely home sites for persons of modest means, offered by original owner.

Special and most liberal terms to parties ready to build at once. Beautiful homes for home-seekers and certain profits for investors. Now is the time to buy. The completion of electric road, the approach of good times, and the coming of next spring will advance prices 20 per cent. at least. For full information and prospectus apply to

JAMES E. CLEMENTS —AND— H. T. HOLTZMAN, 1321 F Street Northwest.

Or to C. T. HENRY, who will be at the office on the subdivision daily from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

The Great Sale of HOUSEFURNISHINGS Commences THURSDAY MORNING at 8 o'clock. Everything—Except High Prices.

Our store is our best advertisement. We have just started to blaze out the path of Popular Prices. Ask ten Washingtonians, "Which store sells first-class goods at the lowest prices?" and nine will answer, "The Universal Housefurnishing Company."

Universal Housefurnishing Co., 512 9th St. N. W. Next door to Oppenheimer's.

privilege of raising again. It was, of course, accorded him, but as each gentleman recognized that there might be some delay, it was decided that the stakes and each hand should be sealed up in envelopes and deposited in a bank. There those hands and the stakes have been ever since.